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Inventor(s): Kent D. Vincent

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Examiner: Egwim, Kelechi

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Group Art Unit: 1713

Title: LATEXES AND INK-JET INKS PREPARED USING BLOCKED ACID MONOMERS

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee
() Other: (fee \$)

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(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	9	MINUS	65	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	6	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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Respectfully submitted,

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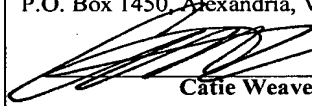
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Sir:

The present amendments and remarks are in response to the March 10, 2005 Office Action where the Examiner required an election and restriction of the claims and rejected preliminarily elected claims 36-39, 41, 43, and 45-47. Before reconsideration of the present Application, please enter this Amendment and consider the accompanying responsive remarks.